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INVITATION TO BID

Town of Maynard, MA (Owner) invites Bidders to submit sealed Bids for the Filter Media Replacement Project, which includes, but is not limited to the removal and replacement of the existing filter media and internal structures in four, 12 foot diameter vertical pressure filters located at the Rockland Avenue Water Treatment Plant; and all materials and equipment, services and construction inherent to the Work.

The Work shall be substantially complete within 120 calendar days from the commencement of Contract Time and completed and ready for final payment 150 calendar days from the commencement of Contract Time.

The Project being bid is subject to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 30, Section 39M.

Bidders must be certified by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Division of Capital Asset Management and Maintenance (DCAMM) for **Sewage and Water Treatment Plants**.

A pre Bid conference will not be held.

Sealed Bids will be received until 10:00AM local time on March 9, 2016 at Owner's offices Department of Public Works, Town Hall, 195 Main Street, Maynard, MA 01754, Attention: Chris Okafor. Bids will then and there be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids received after the time of announced opening will not be accepted.

Sets of Bidding Documents may be examined at the following location(s) on or after February 17, 2016, at 8:30AM.

Issuing Office:
Woodard & Curran
980 Washington Street, Suite 325
Dedham, MA 02026

Sets of Bidding Documents may be obtained on or after February 17, 2016 at 8:30AM:

in hardcopy from Issuing Office as follows.

Non-refundable purchase price for each set of Bidding Documents: \$100.00 payable by certified check, treasurer's or cashier's check, or money order to Town of Maynard, MA.

Non-refundable charge for delivery of Bidding Documents by mail or delivery service: Additional \$75.00 payable by certified check, treasurer's or cashier's

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check, or money order to Town of Maynard, MA or \$50.00 if Bidder provides a prepaid Federal Express, UPS, or other courier account number for delivery.

Complete sets of Bidding Documents shall be used in preparing Bids; neither Owner nor Engineer assumes any responsibility for errors or misinterpretations resulting from the use of the incomplete sets of Bidding Documents or for modifications to the Bidding Documents including electronic conversion.

Bid security in the amount of 5 percent of the Bid must accompany the Bid in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Minimum wage rates as issued by the Director of the Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development, Department of Labor Standards under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 149, Sections 26 to 27D inclusive, as amended, apply to this Project. It is the responsibility of the Bidders, before Bid opening, to request if necessary, any additional information on Minimum Wage Rates for those trades people who may be employed for the proposed Work under the resulting Contract.

Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, including without limitation, nonconforming, nonresponsive, unbalanced, or conditional Bids. Owner further reserves the right to reject the Bid of any Bidder whom it finds, after reasonable inquiry and evaluation, to not be eligible or responsible. Owner may also reject the Bid of any Bidder if Owner believes that it would not be in the best interest of the Project or the public to make an award to that Bidder. Owner also reserves the right to waive all informalities not involving price, time, or changes in the Work and to negotiate contract terms with the Successful Bidder.

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